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For : BIOCIDIC COMPOSITION CONTAINING
PROPIONIC ACID AND IODINE COMPOUNDS

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks,
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir,

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME:

An office action was mailed on this application on June 18, 2001
and a response was due on September 18, 2001.

An extension of time of five (5) months is requested to respond
to the office action, and the extension fee is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

March 17, 2002
DATED

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This will certify that the accompanying amendment, request for
extension of time, and extension of time fee were placed in an envelope
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